

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Thomas E. Ricciardelli, et al.

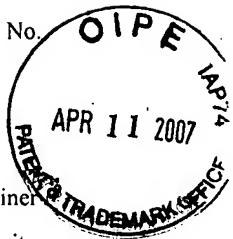
Serial No. : 10/797,316

Filed : March 9, 2004

For : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MOLDING A COMPOSITE MODULAR TILE WITH EDGE INTERLOCKS

Examiner : Matthew J. Daniels

Art Unit : 1732



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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.
 The fee has been calculated as shown below.
 This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.

Claims as Amended

(1)	(2) Claims remaining after amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number previously paid for	(5) Present extra	(6) Rate	(7) Additional Fee
Total claims	22	Minus	** = 22	* 0 x	\$50 (25)	= \$ 0
Independent claims	2	Minus	*** = 3	* 0 x	\$200 (100)	= \$ 0
Total additional fee for this amendment						\$ 0

* If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.

** If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space.

*** If the highest number of independent claims previously paid for is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$300 (150) has been previously paid , or is paid herewith .

This response is being filed within the ___ month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. This is a petition to request a ___ month extension of time. A check covering the cost of the petition is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$___ is attached, which covers the cost of additional claims petition for extension of time.

Charge \$___.

Please charge any additional fees incurred by reason of this response or credit any overpayment
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Respectfully submitted,

Attorney for Applicants

By:

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Jerry M. Presson
Name of Applicant, Assignee or Registered Representative

Jerry M. Presson
Signature

April 9, 2007

Date of Signature

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.121

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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed on January 8, 2007, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on April 9, 2007 (April 8, 2007 being a Sunday), please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.